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TO USNS VANGUARD

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SUBJ: MOMBASA PORT CALL

REF: A. USNS VANGUARD 091855Z SEP 75

B. USNS VANGUARD 100545Z SEP 75

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1. YOUR LOGREQ PASSED TO MACKENZIE AND ALERTED OF NEW ETA 1300Z 14 SEP. SHIP WILL BE MOORED AT ANCHOR IN HARBOR, SINCE ALL DOCKSIDE SPACES RESERVED FOR COMMERCIAL SHIPPING. LIBERTY LAUNCHES PLENTIFUL AND INEXPENSIVE. TELEPHONE SERVICE FROM SHIP AT ANCHOR MUST BE VIA VHF, CHANNEL 16, MOMBASA RADIO, THROUGH WHICH ANY TELEPHONE ON SHORE CAN BE CALLED. TELEPHONE NUMBER OF SHIPPING AGENT OFFICE (MACKENZIE KENYA LTD) IS 20031 MOMBASA.

2. EMBASSY ASSUMES AS YOU DO THAT PORT CLEARANCE PREVIOUSLY GRANTED FOR PERIOD 5-25 SEP IS VALID FOR SHORTER VISIT 14-25 SEP, ALTHOUGH WE HAVE NOTIFIED FOREIGN MINISTRY OF REVISED ARRIVAL DATE.

3. FOR NASA DIRECTOR ZINK: IF YOU HAVE NO OBJECTION EMBASSY PLANS TO RELEASE BRIEF INFORMATION ABOUT PORT UNCLASSIFIED

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VISIT TO LOCAL PRESS ON FRIDAY, SEPT. 12. WILL DRAW ON

INFORMATION ABOUT SHIP SUPPLIED BY SECSTATE AND USIS  
FEATURE ON VIKING PROGRAM.

4. MR. VERNON WHITE, GENERAL MANAGER OF SHIPPING SERVICE, MACKENZIE KENYA LTD. (AND PRINCIPAL POINT OF CONTACT FOR MSC SHIPS IN MOMBASA PORT) HAS INVITED MR. ZINK TO ADDRESS ROTARY CLUB OF KILINDINI (I.E., THE PORT AREA) AT LUNCHEON 18 SEP ON ANY TOPIC OF YOUR CHOICE. PLEASE ADVISE.

5. SHIPPING AGENT WILL HANDLE ARRANGEMENTS FOR TECHNICIANS DEPARTING SHIP. REQUEST NAMES, NUMBERS, DATES AND PLACES OF ISSUANCE OF PASSPORTS FOR THOSE CONCERNED.

6. SHIPPING AGENT ADVISES THAT UPPER STORY ROOM AVAILABLE AT OCEANIC HOTEL, MOMBASA, FOR TESTING OF LOW-POWER COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT. ROOM HAS 13 AMP WALL SOCKET, 240 VOLTS AC. PERMISSION TO OPERATE COMMUNICATIONS EQUIPMENT STILL PENDING WITH KENYA GOVERNMENT.  
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